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Re: Extension Request for Comments on the Revised Comparative Ecological Risk
Assessment; OPP-2004-0033

Dear Dr. Edwards:

American Farm Bureau requests an extension of time to comment on the revised comparative ecological risk assessment and other documents for nine rodenticides that the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) made available on September 22, 2004. Comment is now due on November 22, 2004.

Additional time is needed for stakeholders to have an adequate opportunity to comment. The time is necessary to allow a thorough review of the revised comparative ecological risk assessment, which is lengthy and very detailed.

Sincerely,

Mark Maslyn
Executive Director,
Public Policy

cc: Adam Sharp, EPA
Jim Jones, EPA
Jon Scholl, EPA
Ted Rogers, USDA

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